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LONDON OFFICE. 

It must have grieved "Bobs" to learn that Com Paul got away with all that

Perhaps the powers will conclude to let Japan and Russia do all the fighting

Com Paul has lost his capital but he is still in possession of his treasury and his big guns.

Lord Roberts must now begin the task of chasing the Boers across the veldts and around the kops and back The result in Oregon appears to be

too much like that of two years ago for anybody to get a great deal of satisfaction out of it. It looks as though Governor Taylor

of Kentucky may be compelled to deliver his campaign speeches through the medium of the megaphone. The refusal of the New Jersey Demo

crats to instruct for Bryan probably grew out of their respect for a distinguished citizen of that state named

to the title of the great harmonizer. He handled the convention of New York Democrats in a manner satisfactory to all parties concerned.

David R. Hill has established a claim

The colored people are a little late with their organization of a national political party. Most of them have been deprived of their franchise by recent constitutional changes in the south.

It was but natural that Lord Roberts should feel some regret at being com-pelled to cable the news of the capture of another regiment of his men by the Boers, along with the news of the fall

If the intention of the navy department is to send the battleships Indiana and Massachusetts to Chinese waters, the trip will of course be made via the Suez canal. In that case it might be convenient to empower their commanders to collect that little bill from Turkey while en route.

#### DEFEAT OF WOMAN SUFFRAGE IN OREGON.

The proposed amendment to the constitution of Oregon, granting the franchise to women was defeated at the

In the ten years from 1889 to 1899, the women of Colorado, Utah and Idaho acquired the full right to vote. Illinois, Connecticut and Ohio granted women school suffrage. Minnesota permitted them to vote for members of library boards. Iowa gave them a very restricted right to vote on questions involving the issue of municipal bonds. Louisiana empowered taxnaying wo-Louisiana empowered taxnaying women to vote on all questions submitted

But in the same ten years three different suffrage bills failed in Arizona, three in Arkansas, two in South Dakots, four in California, and four bills and one constitutional amendment in Connecticut. In Delaware the constitutional convention refused to strike out the word male. In Illinois four suffrage bills failed, and two failed in

In Ohlo a suffrage amendment was defeated, and two suffrage bills falled to pass. In the state of Washington a suffrage amendment was defeated at the polls, although in the territory of Washington woman's suffrage was the rule. Woman's suffrage was no more popular in Mississippi and Missouri than in Rhode Island and Vermont, no more popular in an old state like Maine than in a new state like South Dakota.

In 1895 all voters in Massachusetts, men and women, who were eligible to vote for school committees, were allowed to vote on the question: "Is it expedient that municipal suffrage be voted yes and 186,976 no. Of the 575,-000 women entitled to vote more than 550,000 declined to do so, and less than 4 per cent, voted yes. In Chicago, 29,-815 women registered for the school elections of 1894, but 1.488 for those of 1898. In Cleveland, the woman's school vote fell from 5,831 to 82 between 1895

From the foregoing facts the Chicago Inter-Ocean draws the conclusion that Inter-Ocean draws the conclusion that walk two or three miles a day. I am women themselves are not in favor of 55 years old and now feel that life is woman's suffrage.

### GLOBE SIGHTS.

[From the Atchison Globe.] Tell the average person that he is being worked to death, and he enjoys it better than a bank account,

To make the story of your troubles interesting, they should be as varied as the buttons on a charm string.

When a man is particularly rushed, the loafers scent the fact like rata scent a piece of cheese, and all pour in. At this sesson of the year, about the

only work a boy will perform willingly for his mother is to turn the ice cream

An Atchison young man has been calling for several years upon a family of three sisters, and doesn't know yet which one he wants. Why not shake the tree?

It is becoming cheaper every day to put on style; any neighbor woman who coines in and sits awhile is now called a "trained nurse" by the sick one's family.

The women who officiously show their friendship by fanning the widow at a funeral, are often her sharpest critics when she recovers from her grief and begins to look around.

POINTED PARAGRAPHS. [From the Chicago News.]

The early swimmer catches the cramp. It's a poor elevator that won't work both ways.

One way to make both ends meet is to tie them together.

One little word may make a new friendship or break an old one, 'Some men are unable to understand why they can't understand things.

A man resembles a wolf; he can change his cost but not his disposition.

Some women give more thought to the selection of a gown than of a hus-band,

Many people get tired of being good and experiment in vice from curiosity.

It is easier to take things as they come than it is to part with them as

Only a fool is ashamed to acknowledge his poverty. The shabby genteel man is the poorest man on earth. Probably the quickest way for a man to get rid of his wife's female acquaint-ances is to make love to them.

A physician says that the healthiest position to lay in is the head to the north. People who keep hens should remember this.

#### YOUNG WOMAN MISSING. Miss Elsie Fry of Junction City Dis-

appears in Kansas City. Appears in Kansas City.

Kansas City, June 7—A disappearance that is mystifying the police is that of Miss Elsie Fry of Junction City, Kan., who until recently has been visiting a the home of A. J. Sanderson, 1490 Laberty street. Miss Fry went up town last Monday morning to do some shopping. She had with her \$70 in money and a gold watch. As she did not return her father, George K. Fry, was telegraphed for at Junction City. He arrived in town this morning and immediately placed the case in the hands of the police.

Prune Packers Organise.

A question seems to have arisen as to whether Lord Roberts is a great general or a great diplomat. It is hinted that the surrender of Pretoria was shares of \$10 each. The object of the company is the packing of prunes in cooperation with the California Cured operation with Fruit association.

#### LOCAL MENTION.

Harry Wingert, of the Capital, and Mrs. Wingert. were called to Emporia by the serious illness of J. D. Saimons, Mrs. Wingert's brother. Mr. Wingert returned last night and reported Mr. Salmon's condition as slightly improved.

Manager L. M. Crawford has secured a renewal of the option on the Academy of Minner in Kinnas City. He will lease the house for the Starr syndicate.

Sylvian Klein is in receipt of a challenge from Jas. C. Butten, better known as "Young Buck," an Kansas City pugilist, to fight any of the 'tailent' of Topeka. A bout will probably be arranged.

J. W. O'Connor, superintendent in charge of the addition. The men will receive \$5 cents per hour instead of \$6 cents.

There will be spechal services for the graduating class of nurses of Christ hospital at Grace cathedral tonight. Dr. McCracken, of Junction City, will deliver the services.

There will be a prize oratory contest at Washburn Friday svening. There will be five contestants.

C. S. Briggs, census supervisor, will be in Toneka lought at any of the supervisor, will be in Toneka lought at a prize oratory contest at Washburn Friday svening. There will be in Toneka lought at a prize oratory contest at Washburn Friday svening. There will be in Toneka lought at a prize oratory contest at the Democratic convention to be held at the Democr

"What can I help you to?" inquired the boarding house inistress, politely. "I think I'll have a little of everything." answered the new lodger. And she ladled him out a portion of hash.

### Wild With Eczema

Fire Could Not Have Been More Painful.

" After spending two years in taking all kinds of medicines that were suggested for eczema, but without avail, my mother was induced to take Hood's Sarsaparilla. The result was wonderfully gratifying. Her limbs had been terribly lacerated by the disease, and there were times when fire could not have been more painful. She was, in fact, almost wild. Two bottles of Hood's Sarsaparilla completely cured her, and not a trace of eczema was left." E. W. DECKER, Gardiner, N. Y.

Eat Well; Sleep Well. "Hood's Sarsaparilla has been a great blessing to me. I was weak, irritable, tired and nervous; had no appetite and was always sad and despondent. One day I got hold of a little book about Hood's Sarsaparilla. I looked it over and resolved to try a bottle. I was better before it was gone, so I kept on until I had taken five bottles. I can now sleep well, feel cheerful and can do all my work, including plain sewing, and I can worth living." Mrs. Emma Smith, 68 E. Mitchell St., Oswego, N. Y.

## Critical Period of Life.

"I took Hood's Sarsaparilla during the critical period of my life, and now, at the age of 60 years, I am strong and healthy. It is a great medicine for the blood. I find Hood's to be the best." Mus. H. Powrox, 22 Lansing

Street, Auburn, N. Y. You can buy Hood's Sarsaparilla of any druggist. Be sure to ask for Hood's and do not accept any substitute.

# PROHIBITION CONVENTION.

The Official Call For State Meeting is Issued by Committee. The Prohibition party in Kansas will

hold its state convention in representa-tive hall, Topeka, on Wednesday, June 20th, commencing at 9 o'clock a. m. A state ticket will be nominated, a platform adopted, the party reorganized, delegates to the national convention at Chicago ap-pointed, and such other business trans-acted as shall be necessary to prepare

campaign.

As many counties in the state are unorganized, the committee are very anxious that every part of the state should be represented in the convention. We, therefore, suggest that the friends in each locality should consult together and secure as full representation as possible. We invite Women's Christian Temperance Unions—whom we gladly, recognize as potential allies in our work—to send delegates. We ask the true-hearted women of Kausas, who represent the home of the state, to come.

gates. We ask the true-hearted women of Kansas, who represent the home of the state, to come.

We invite every one who is ready to ally himself with the only party that stands firmly and unflinchingly for the prohibition of the liquor traffic, in state and nation, to come with us, and aid in its overthrow.

Prohibition is the supreme issue in our state. The honor of Kansas is imperiled Her lawware nullified, and her constitution disregarded. Her political leaders practically ignore Prohibition. The party in power has signally falled to fulfill its piedges to enforce the law.

In many of our cities and villages liquors are freely sold, while comparatively little effort is made by the officials to prevent it. We must call a halt and show politicians and liquor men that we mean business. The friends of Prohibition must be loyal and true to their principles. We must come together, with one accord in God's name throw our banner to the breeze and raily around it!

Hon. Oliver W. Stewart, our newly appointed national chalrman, will attend the convention and address a mass meeting in representative hall on Wednesday evening. It will be worth a trip to Topeka to hear him. Other speakers will address the convention, and good music will enliven all the sessions.

The state central committee will meet on Tuesday (19) at 3 o'olock p. m. Every member of the committee should be present at that meeting, without fail.

Reduced rates will be secured on the

n Tuesday (19) at 3 o clock p. m. Every number of the committee should be pres-nt at that meeting, without fail. Reduced rates will be secured on the aliroads, and at hotels, of which due no-ice will be given in The Fulcrum and

By order state central committee.
M. WILLIAMS, Chairman.

#### INDIANA TICKET. Complete List of Those Whom Democrats Will Try to Elect.

Indianapolis, Ind., June 7.-The Democratic state convention placed in the field the following ticket: Governor, John W. Kern, Indianap-

Lieutenant governor, John C. Law-Secretary of state, Adam Hermerberger, New Albany. State auditor, John W. Minor, In-

State treasurer, Jerome Herff, Peru. Attorney general, C. P. Drummond, Reporter of supreme court, Henry C. ergin, Newcastle Superlatendent of public instruction, harles A. Greathouse, Mt. Vernon. State statistician, Edward Hourum,

Supreme judges-First district, George L. Reinhart, Bloomington; fourth district, J. M. Adair, Columbia

Delegates at large, Samuel E. Morse Indianapolis; Hugh M. Daugherty, bluffton: James Murdocke Lafayette; George B. Menales, Mt. Vernon. Electors at large, Allen Zollers, Ft. Wayne; Nicholas Cornett, Versallies.

ed for Bryan. The resolutions contain paragraphs eulogistic of Charles A. Towns, Populist nominee for vice president; commending the course of Senator Pettigrew and recommending that the Democratic convention to be held at Yankton, July 11, endorse Mr. Pettigrew for reelection, thus binding every Dem-ocratic member of the legislature to his

After a prolonged debate, the resolutions were adopted. Sympathy is ex-tended to the Boers and imperialism and trusts are denounced

### THEY CHOSE HOLT.

West Virginia Democrats Nominate Candidate For Governor.

Parkersburg, W. Va., June 7.-After a tumultuous session the Democratic state convention last night nominated Judge John H. Holt of Huntington for Judge John H. Heit of Huntington for governor and adjourned until foday when the ticket will be completed. During the day the convention held three sessions. A platform was adopted endersing Bryan and reaffirming the Chicago platform. It denounces trusts, imperialism, the Porto Rican tariff, the Philippine war, militarism, the recent financial act of congress, the increase of the standing army and the administrations of President McKinley and Governor Atkinson. Sympathy was expressed with the Boers. The Nicaragua canal was strongly favored.

Wyoming Democrats.

Laramie, Wyo., June 7.—The Demo-cratic state convention elected the fol-lowing delegates to the national conlowing delegates to the national convention at Kansas Sity: A. E. Miller, of Laramie; P. C. Alger, of Sheridan; C. E. Blindenburg, of Rawlins; Walter L. Larsh, of Cheyenne; R. A. Keenan, of Rock Springs; William Hinton, of Evanston. Candidates for presidential electors were chosen as follows: William H. Hunt, of Big Horn county; Mike Murphy, of Fremont county; and William W. Burton, of Unita county. John C. Thompson, of Cheyenne, was named for representative in congress. named for representative in congress.

## Raisin Packers' Combine,

Fresno. Cal., June 7.—The packers combine, which will work in harmony with the raisin growers' association and pack its raisins has finally been organized. The packers have signed their contract with the growers' association and all the document needs is the signatures of the full board of the latter, which step has been delayed by the absence of President Kearney.

### New Evening Train.

The Vandalia-Pennsylvania lines on May 27 put on a new train to the east. leaving St. Louis daily at 11:35 p. m., arriving at Pittsburg 5:50 p. m. next day, Philadelphia 4:45 a. m. New York 7:30 a. m., second morning. West bound this train leaves New York, Twenty-third street station, at 5:55 p. m., Philadelphia 8:25 p. m., arriving at St. Louis and dining cars. Address J. M. Chesbrough, assistant G. P. A., St. Louis, Mo., for folder, The Vandalia-Pennsylvania lines on

# MUNYON'S INHALER



Colds, Coughs, Hay Fever, Bronchitis, Asthma and all Diseases of the Throat and

It reaches the sore spate—It heals the rene places—It goes to the seas of disease—It acts as a balm and tonic to the whole system—\$1.00 at druggists or sent by mail. 1805 Arch St., Phila-

#### GOLD DEMOCRATS. Call Issued For Meeting of National

Committee. Indianapolis, June 7.—A meeting of the national executive committee of the gold standard Democratic party has been called for this city, July 25, at 2 p. m. It is understood that the chief business of the committee will be to organize for the coming campaign and to see that an independent ticket is placed in the field. The committee will be composed of Geo, F. Peabody of New York, John C. Bullet, Pennsylvania; Gordon Woodbury, New Hampshire; J. J. Valentine, California; Joseph Bryan, Virginia; L. M. Martin, W. R. Sheiby, Michigan; Thomas F. Corrigan, Georgia; W. B. Haldeman, Kentucky; J. P. Frenzel, Indiana. Indianapolis, June 7.-A meeting

## FELL FROM WHEEL DEAD

Sudden Death of A. Patten, a Cyclist, at Noon Today.

Andy Patten, a colored man, fell from his bicycle at Tenth and Kansas avenues at noon today and died almost in-

Patten, who was a horse trader, was riding his bicycle south on Kansas avenue and turned west on Tenth street. He had ridden but about 50 feet west when he suddenly pitched headlong from his wheel and did not move after striking the ground. Henry Steel and James Richardson saw him fall, They carried him to the shade of a building and endeavored to revive him. He breathed once or twice and was dead.

Coroner Hogeboom was called and had the body removed to the undertaking establishment of De Moss & Penwell, where an inquest will be held.

Patten probably died from heart fallure. It was thought at first that he had been injured by the fall. He was a well known colored man.

#### BAKING PROBLEM SOLVED. A Method of Indefinitely Keeping Fresh the Oven's Best Products.

Though American bakers have for year's excelled, many of their daintiest creations could never be enjoyed at their best because it had been imposaible to protect them from maisture, odors, dust or germs and keep them fresh until they reached the consumer. Now an American's inventive genius has intervened, and it is possible to

have the best efforts of the best bakers in the world as fresh and as dainty as if just from the oven, and to have them in any season and anwhere-up in the

readers.

This trademark design is one that was adopted advisedly, for it is a sealed and inersealed package. It is so sealed outside and inside that it would be impossible for moisture to enter, though the package were exposed to a London fog, or an April shower; impossible for dust to get in even if a cyclone curried it along; impossible for odors of the mackerel barrel or the meat block to get in, even if left out in their odorous company; impossible for a germ to enter, because the biscults are packed at the ovenside—all the good sealed in; all the bad sealed the good sealed in; all the bad sealed

The "In-er-seal Patent Package" is The 'in-er-seal Patent Package' is controlled and used exclusively by the National Biscuit company, the originators of the famous Unceda Biscuit and other Unceda products, much of the fame of which resulted from the protection of this wonderful package. This alone is sufficient testimony of its ability to keep good things good.

#### THEY REACH ST. PAUL, Boer Envoys Are Given a Hearty Reception.

St. Paul, Minn., June 7.-Dr. Abraham Fisher and C. H. Wessels, two of the three Boer envoys now in this country, arrived in this city a few minutes bearrived in this city a few minutes before noon. Mrs. Fischer accompanied
her husband. A special reception committee welcomed the visitors to the
northwest. There was a large crowd
at the depot and the Minnesota state
band played a number of patriotic American airs. The visitors were taken at
cance to the Ryan hotel where lunch
was served. Governor Lind called on
them soon after their arrival. A sublic
reception was held from 1:30 to 30 clock
this afternoon and a drive about the
city will follow late in the afternoon.
A mass meeting will be held in the
Auditorium tonight.

### Mrs. Sherman's Funeral.

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Mansfield, C., June 7.—The funeral of Mrs. Cella Steward Sherman, wife of ex-Senator John Sherman, occurred at the family residence at 11 o'clock this morning. Business houses closed and the postoffice suspended for two hours as a mark of respect. Services were conducted by Rev. A. B. Putnam. The pall bearers were: George F. Carpenter, Henry P. Davis, Dr. William E. Loughridge, Lyman A. Strong, Henry M. Weaver, Captain A. C. Cummings, S. W. Ward and C. K. Carr. The burial was private.

# LAWYERS BY WHOLESALE.

Sixty-six University Students Admitted to Practice in Supreme Court. Mrs. Lizzle S. Sheldon, of Lawrence, formerly of Topeka, and Miss Margaret Casey, of Topeka, were today admitted to practice law in the supreme court, being members of the class of S. graduating from the Kansas University law department this year.

Following the annual custom, the class came to Topeka today and was admitted in a body to practice in the supreme court. The motion for admission was made by Captain Clad Hamilton, of Topeka.

Mrs. Sheldon, formerly resided in To-peka, but moved to Lawrence where her laughter is attending the university, Mrs. Sheldon having also entered the law de-

partment.

Ed. Martindale. editor of the Lawrence Jeffersonian-Gazette, is among this year's graduates. So is Frant Parent, of Ablenc, who has been one of the pitchers for the K. U. baseball team this year. The 66 new lawyers paid \$3 each for the supreme court certificates.

Miss Casey is a North Topeka young woman, baying read law while serving in the capacity of a stenographer in the office of Dobbs & Stoker.

The 65 members of the class admitted today were:

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J. W. Gaba, Baxter Springs.
Lizzie S. Sheldon, Lawrence.
Thomas J. Karr, McCune.
W. T. Harwood, Lawrence.
E. W. Earthart, Oxford.
Charless C. Hoge, Olathe.
Roy T. Osborne, Salina.
Arthur Williams, Lawrence.
E. C. Lockwood, Claffin.
C. W. Wilcox, Concordia.
J. M. Miller, Stockton.
Edgar Martindale, Lawrence.
T. W. Hetzer, Bolcourt.
D. G. Phillips, Lawrence,
J. A. Overlander, Leona.
E. P. Rochester, Scott City.
R. W. Smith, Florence.
F. E. Crabtree, Scott City.
Russell Field, Solomon.
Robert Landers, Fariington.
W. J. Bellards, Scranton.
P. A. Dinsmore, Lawrence.
F. C. Cochrape, Plainville,
Carl M. Starr, Scott City. W. J. Sellards, Scranton.
P. A. Dinsmore, Lawrence.
F. C. Cochrane, Plainville.
Carl M. Starr, Scott City.
James S. Barrow. Ellinwood.
J. H. Torrance, Ellinwood.
J. W. Dana, Lawrence.
F. D. Parent, Abliene,
Alden Dannevit, Moray.
C. W. Lenan, Gaylord.
J. B. Hanna, Lawrence.
F. A. Burton, New Ponca, Ok. T.
Anthony Abel. Salina.
C. P. Whitaker, Lawrence,
Margaret E. Casey, Topeka.
W. M. Dedrick, Lawrence.
Cornelius Gant, Lawrence.
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C. R. Cooksey, Kansas City.
H. F. Pownall, Thayer.
F. E. Anderson, Lawrence.
W. H. Stanley, Wichita.
Harold M. Stewant, Waverly.
C. D. Dall, Kansas City.
Willard Reynolds, Parsons.
A. R. Hetzer, Bolcourt.
Mark Gillin, Parsons.
James Vandal, Lawrence.
J. W. Hayson, Burlingame.
F. A. Reid, Ciyde.
J. L. Colvin, Burr Oak.
David W. Wood, Strong City.
R. E. Everett, Lawrence.
L. W. McKenna, Kingman.
Walter Jordan, Larned.
C. J. Taylor, East Liberty, Ohio.
A. K. Springer, Manhattan.
W. H. Wagner, Jefferson,
R. P. B. Wilson, Alden.
John A. Bear, Gridley.
W. H. Zwick, Lawrence.
L. E., McKolght, Wellington.
E. Day Karr, Topeka.
R. M. Anderson, Beloit.
R. E. Trosper, Lawrence.

MISS CROCKER WEDS

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Fashionable Event Takes Place at Tuxedo.
Suffern, N. Y., June 7.—One of the most beautiful and fashionable weddings that has taken place at Tuxedo park was that of Miss Mary Crocker, daughter of the late Charles F. Crocker, daughter of the late Charles F.

san Alexander, Caroline Taylor. Mary Scott, Jean Reid and the little Misses Jeannie Crocker and Harriet Alexander were Miss Crocker's attendants. Frank

## TAYLOR QUITS.

Kentucky's Former Governor Aban-

dons the Gubernatorial Race. Indianapolis, Ind., June I.—Developments of the last few days have led W. S. Taylor to abandon the announced purpose of his candidacy for governor of Kentucky on the Republican ticket. The results of various conferences of the party leaders in Kentucky, together with full correspondence, have brought about this conclusion. This means that Governor Taylor will enter business in Indiana as executive manager for an indiana as executive manager for an insurance company, with headquarters in this city. Mr. Taylor and Charles Fin-ley will continue their stay at the Denison until the close of this week, when they will go to Martinsville and seek rest for a month.

### SENATE ADJOURNED.

Washington, June 7 .- The senate has agreed to adjourn at5 p. m.

# MINERS HAVE AGREED.

An Advance of Five Cents For Southern Kansas.

Labor Commissioner Johnson telegraphed this afternoon from Pittsburg that the union companies, the Great
Western of the Big Four non-union
combination and the miners have
agreed upon and signed a new scale.
The new scale is an advance of five
cents per ton or 55 cents and 15 cents
per day increase for those who work
by the day.
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#### This leaves only three companies out-side the union arrangement. A Log Fell on Them.

Milwaukee, June 7.—An Evening Wisconsin special from Fond du Lac, Wis., says: It is reported here today that several Indians were killed on the One-ida reservation. A heavy timber which was being raised on a derrick falling in their midst.

was being raised on a derrick failing in their midst.

Kansas City Postal Allowance.

Washington, June 7.—A lump sum of 34.800 has been granted the Kansas City (Mo.) postoffice by the postoffice department for the payment of sainries of additional carriers to be appointed during the Johlots are going around claiming they couldn't secure passage to the Paris exposition."

"So I heard. That's the reason I sent the agents of five rival steamship lines up to see them today."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Chas. Harris, of the Santa Fe cabinet shop, was married last evening to Miss Funnic Balleu.

# Startling Prices on Pianos!

The A. J. King Piano Company will furnish Pianos at prices that have never before been quoted in Topeks. Please remember that we are able to do so from the fact that our expenses are less than one-third of any other music house in the city. Our goods are bought for spot cash, and are of the highest grade. A large stock to select from.

Special Offer No. 1 Piano in Mahogany, Oak or Walnut for \$150.00.

Special Offer No. 2 == Walnut, \$185,00, or \$200,00 on payments. Special Offer No. 3 - A Magnificent instrument. French Gross action. 8225.00 cash or \$250.00

These Pianos are all reliable medium priced instruments, made of the very best material, large size, full iron plate, solid hard wood cases, wory keys and best repeating action.

Now is the time to investigate for yourself and buy. Come and see us. Free Pianola recital Thursday afternoon.

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#### H00D VS. H00D.

C. L. Hood & Co. Victorious in Im- Colorado Governor to Head Delegaportant Cases - Injunction

Against Dr. J. C. Hood. Important suits have just been decided in the United States circuit court involving the right to the word Hood or Hood's, Messrs, C. I. Hood & Co., of Lowell, Mass, proprietors of Hood's Sarsaparilia, began suit for infringment against Dr. J. C. Hood of Louis-wills, Ev. who was publication in the court of the court

# ELSIE FRY FOUND.

Girl Who Mysteriously Disappeared is Now in North Topeka.

#### Elsie Fry, the Junction City school teacher who disappeared from Kansas City, where she was visiting friends it is believed has been located in North Topeku.

PLAYED CHICKEN. How Eight Men and a Child

Lost Their Lives.

Milwaukee, June 7.—An evening Wisconsin special from Green Bay says: A terrible accident occurred near Stockbridge on the Oneida Indian reservation which resulted in the killing of eight men and one child.

According to the story as brought in from the reservation a woman went out into the yard where several little children were playing, caught a chicken and chapped off its head with an axe. She left the axe on the ground. Im-mediately on her returning to the house one of the children suggested that they play chicken and proceeded to carry

play chicken and proceeded to carry out the suggestion.

The youngest child was selected to act the part of the chicken. The child was seized and its head placed on a block and hacked off.

A number of men were engaged on a derrick in the erection of a barn. As soon as the men above noticed the child being beheaded they became panic stricken and in the confusion, the heavy timbers which were being raised fell with an awful crash, killing eight men.

Booker Washington Will Not Run For Office.

Tuskegee, Ala., June 7.—Booker T. Washington, president of the negro he dustrial institute and one of the leading men of his race, said today regards the formation of a national negro in the formation of a national negro party. I know nothing of the Philadelphia movement to organize a national Negro party. I will not under any circumstances become a candidate for any political office.

New Hansas Postmasters.

Washington, June 7.—The following changes of fourth-class postmasters were made to day for Kansas: Goode, Phillips county, George W. Wolf, vice Chara Mousley, resigned; Olivet, Osage county, George W. King, vice F. H. Man', resigned; Pence, Scott county, Milron A. Eversole, vice G. R. Foster, resigned; Nortage, Chancauqua county, A. G. Hockett, vice M. S. Hamilton, resigned; Springvale, Fratt county, A. L. Stokes, vice F. Goodrich, resigned.

"The Joblots are going around claim

THOMAS WILL LEAD.

tion to Kansas City. Denver, Colo. June 7—The state Democratic convention which met here today easily surpassed in attendance and enthusiasm any similar gathering of that party ever held in Colorado. More than 1,000 delegates—including two Arapahoe county delegations of 164 members each were assembled in the Tabor Grand Opera House at 10:30 o'clock, the hour at which the convention was to mest. As the Arapahoe contest will have to be decided by the convention after investigation by the committee on credentials, it is believed that the convention will last two days. Of the 123 delegates from outside Denver and Arapahoe county who will determine which faction in this city is entitled to be considered the regular organization the supporters of Governor Thomas claim assurances of 425 votes while the Maloney delegates claim 509. Whatever the outcome of the contest may be it is probable that Governor Charles S. Thomas will head the Colorado delegation to the national convention and that T. J. Maloney and T. J. O'Donnell will also be chosen as delegate. Other candidates are A. T. Gunnell of Colorado Springs. T. B. Cellier of Trimidad, Charles Henkle of Pueblo, George Robson of Clear Creek, James Doyle of Victor and G. R. Fitzgerald of San Miguel. Denver, Colo.,June 7-The state Dom-

The convention may deolde to elect the state's entire representation of eight in the national convention as del-egates at large.

It was nearly moon when State Chairman Milton Smith called the convention to order and introduced Col. B. F. Montgemery of Cripple Creek as temporary

Chairman Montgomery addressed the

convention briefly, pradicting the suc-cess of the party, not only in Colorado, but in the nation. His mention of W. J. Bryan as already the presidential nominee of the party was greeted with prolonged cheers.

The chairman said that in accordance with an agreement, the committee on credentials would be chosen, one from cach county, by the delegations. The roll was called and the committee announced and a recess was taken until 4 o'clock.

## FIELD IS CLEAR. No Opposition to Re-Election of Mrs.

Lowe. Milwaukee, Wis., June 7.-The sched-Allwaisses, wis., dune a like solicular for the third day of the club women's convention included six literary sessions, eight elaborate receptions in Milwaukee homos, a meeting of the nominating committee, besides debate on the reorganization question and the probable consideration of the color

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The withdrawal of Mrs. Emily Williamson of New Jersey from the presidential race leaves the field practically to Mrs. Lowe. Club women continue to arrive in small delegations and the convention grows in interest each day. For two hours there was a most spirited consideration of the question of reorganization. After a roll call by states the vote stood 25% to 4%. The vote was received with long applicate.

Following this husiness session the honorary president of the federation. Mrs. Ellen Henrotta of Chicago appeared for the first time and was given an ovation. An industrial session at the Alhambra theater and the Swiss session at the Davidson followed.

# COUNT HIM OUT.

Prof. Washington had been mentioned a candidate for vice president.

## Wheel Plant Burned.

Richmond, Va., June 7.—The factory of the Virginia and North Carolina Whrel company located a short distance below this city, burned early today, Total lows \$175,000; insurance \$140,000. The plant was among the largest of the kind in the world. About 275 men will be thrown out of work.

A Good Cough Medicine.

It speaks well for Chamberlain's Cough Remedy when druggists use it in their town families in preference to any other. "I have sold Chamberlain's Cough Remedy for the past five years with computer satisfaction to myself and coustamers, says Druggist J. Goldsmith. Van Etten, N. V. "I have always used it in my own family both for ordinary coughs and colds and for the cough following in grippe, and find it very efficacious." For